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THE resolutions sought to be introduced in the House on Friday, in reference to Mexico and the execution of Maximilian, were offered by Mr. Shanks, of Indiana, and not by Mr. Schenck, of Ohio, as published in the New York papers. The similarity of names led to the telegraphic mistake.

THE pardon clerks of the Attorney General's office completed a third list of rebels that have received pardons, containing those who were pardoned in the States of Mississippi and North and South Carolina. The report will be sent to the House in a few days.

THE Boston *Traveler*, of Saturday, has the following: It is currently reported on 'Change, that a heavy dry goods house in New York has failed, with liabilities over three million dollars. We have heard the name, but, in the absence of information from the agent of the Associated Press, withhold it.

From General Custar's Command.

A late Omaha special says: The following has been received at headquarters from General Custar's command, dated at Riverside, Colorado, forty miles west of Fort Sedgwick, July 6th: On the 24th ult., forty-five Sioux attacked a detachment of twenty-five men under Captain Hamilton, near the forks of the Republican river. After a gallant fight the Indians were defeated and driven off, with the loss of two warriors killed and several wounded; Hamilton losing only one horse.

On the same day a large band of Sioux warriors surrounded Custar's camp, endeavoring to stampede his horses, but were repulsed without the loss of a single animal. On the 26th a war party of Sioux and Cheyenne warriors, numbering five or six hundred, attacked and surrounded forty-two men of the Seventh cavalry, under Lieutenants Robbins and Cook, who were escorting a supply train to Fort Wallace. The Indians remained about the train for three hours and made desperate efforts to effect its capture, but after a well contested fight, they were repulsed with a loss of five warriors killed and several wounded, and one horse captured. Our loss was only two men wounded.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

The health of E. B. Washburne, M. C., from Illinois, who is now in Hamburg, is slowly improving.

Over twelve hundred of the sixteen hundred National Banks have reported for the 1st of July, and their reports show them to be unusually strong.

It is stated that the Republican members of Congress say that the President has intimated his willingness to approve any reconstruction bill confined to declaring the intent of Congress in the former acts, leaving it to be understood that the supplemental bills are his scheme.

A New Orleans special says: The steamer Raleigh, hence for Havana, has on board about ten Austrian officers, who arrived from Vera Cruz, via Mobile, and now go to Havana with a view of remaining there until they have an opportunity to join some Mexican chieftain at enmity with Juarez. Among them are Major Herlon and Darrings. The latter was the Military Commissary at Vera Cruz. They declare that they will remain in Mexico and avenge Maximilian's death, and that they will see a powerful chieftain at the head of a large anti-Juarez party, and the remnant of the Austrians will rendezvous at Havana, from which point they will return to Mexico.

The life raft "Nonpareil," was seen by the brig Mary E. Rowland, on the 26th of June, in lat. 40-10, long. 57-10, having good weather.

Ex-Gov. King, of New York, died at his residence in Jamaica, L. I., Sunday afternoon, from the effects of a stroke of paralysis received on the 4th inst.

STATE ITEMS.

A terrible riot occurred Friday night at a circus in Marietta, Lancaster county. It seems that a quarrel took place between a showman and a citizen, when the former shot the latter through the head, killing him. A general fight then ensued, when a citizen struck the above showman on his head with the butt of the piece, killing him. At the same time the gun was discharged, the bullet passing through the heart of the man in whose hands it was.

Aaron Watts, of Juniata county, attempted to get a forged note for $800 cashed at the First National Bank of Mechanicsburg, Tuesday morning last, was detected, and is now in prison at Carlisle, awaiting trial.

Dr. F. A. Muhlenberg, a distinguished physician of Lancaster county, died at his residence in Lancaster on Saturday. Dr. Muhlenberg was a descendant of Dr. Henry Mathias Muhlenberg, the founder of the Lutheran church in that county. Major General Peter Muhlenberg of Revolutionary fame, and Hon. Frederick Augustus Muhlenberg, once Speaker of the lower House of Congress, were his uncles. Henry A. Muhlenberg, deceased, of Berks county, late Minister to Austria, was his brother. In early life the Doctor held several offices of trust in his county, and was a Democratic candidate for Congress against Hon. Thaddeus Stevens in 1852. Of late years he acted with the Democratic party.

FROM WISCONSIN.

The Village of Oconomowoc---The Growing Crops---Emigration Westward---A Pittsburgher Becomes an Iowa Farmer.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.
OCONOMOWOC, WIS., July 5, 1867.

For three days I have been sojourning in this pleasant little village in this young State, and I may be able to write a short letter which may interest some of your readers. This village is situated on the Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad, thirty-one miles from Milwaukee, and contains a population of about twenty-five hundred inhabitants. It is pleasantly located on the borders of one of those beautiful lakes which abound in this State—La Belle Lake, about four miles in length, containing several pleturesque islands, whose borders are covered with the handsomest and neatest residences to be found anywhere in the new States. The scenery is beautiful, forming a very pleasant and agreeable contrast with the broad, expansive and almost never-ending prairies of Illinois, through which we pass in coming here.

The crops in this neighborhood are growing finely and give token of an abundant harvest. I was astonished to find corn much better looking in this State than in Illinois or Indiana. As I passed through Indiana in the night, I do not include that State in my comparison. Wheat is not as far advanced here as in those States, but is fully up with any. Should State in said Union will undoubtedly be large. Rye, buckwheat and oats are similarly promising. In regard to the grain crops I may as well conclude with the general opinion I heard and myself expressed that they will be fully up to the crops of 1860, which were unusually large.

The fruit crop, or such fruits as are raised here, has the same promise of abundance. There are no peaches or quinces, and but few plums raised; but of cherries, apples, plums, &c., there is an excellent prospect. The strawberry crop has been large, and raspberries, blackberries and grapes are doing well.

The potatoes are all up and *vile* promise a very good crop, but the terrible bug has settled upon them in myriads in many places, and is making sad havoc among them. My inquiries have not been sufficient to learn how general the appearance of the bugs is and I can only say that in this neighborhood it occasions a great deal of apprehension. I have seen plants liberally covered with the disgusting pests.

Many methods have been tried to get rid of the bug, and all have proved ineffectual. Kerosene oil has been applied liberally to the plants and still the bugs remain unharmed. The most successful method that I have heard of wasenough of a farmer some three miles from here, who covered the ground thickly with straw and set fire thereto; the bugs were burned, and so were the plants, and, to add still worse, the fire was communicated to the house and barn and completely consumed them. I do not recommend this method.

A great deal of attention is now being given to the culture of hops. It is regarded as the best paying crop in this region. Although it is attended with more expense and labor than the grain crops it is infinitely more remunerative. Its culture has been rapidly on the increase for four or five years, and if the increase continues as many years more in the same proportion, there will be a great decline in the price of hops unless the consumption of beer is greatly increased, which God forbid.

I have traveled repeatedly through the Western States during the last twelve years, but never at any time saw so large a crop of hops as I have seen on this trip. Chicago, at the Railroad depots, was full of them. All the trains on this road while I have been here, have been crowded with them. Men, women and children strong in muscle and large in limb, compose the motley throng. Germany and Norway furnished the larger number of the emigrants, while politicians who demanded the "head twice" upon this people would only hurry up their legislation upon this subject, we might then liquidate our national debt—provided we could lay the golden egg was not killed outright.

I was surprised to find upon the train which brought me from Pittsburgh last Monday, Ed. Campbell, Jr., formerly of Pittsburgh, but lately of Washington county, who was on his way with family to Fairfield, Iowa, where he expects to follow for the rest of his days the life of a farmer, upon a plantation of a hundred and sixty acres of land. The amiable and familiar countenance of Mr. Campbell will be missed by many, very many friends in Pittsburgh, who when they learn the news I communicate will join each other most sincerely in wishing him good luck. H. H.

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XLth CONGRESS.

Reconstruction Supplement Reported.

Michigan Senators Indorse Maximilian's Execution.

Constitutional Question Between the President and Congress.

The Assassination of President Lincoln.

Special Committee Ordered to Inquire into the Particulars Thereof.

Amnesty to be Granted those Turning State's Evidence.

Special Dispatch to the Commercial.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8, 1867.

The Senate.

In the Senate the session lasted less than two hours, of which at least one was appropriated by Mr. Sumner, who invested it in a short protest against the resolution of Friday, which excludes miscellaneous business. Mr. Trumbull reported a reconstruction bill, which would have been considered immediately, but for Mr. Sumner's objection. Attempts were made to bring up several other subjects, the resolution of thanks to General Sheridan among them, but they were all excluded under the resolution of Friday, which the Senate seems determined to adhere to rigidly. Resolutions of inquiry concerning the Indian difficulties were adopted; also a resolution calling upon the Secretary of State for information on Mexican subjects.

Maximilian's Execution.

While the latter was under consideration, Mr. Howard, of Michigan, spoke of Maximilian as the greatest felon of the present day, and of his execution as merited punishment. Mr. Chandler soon after offered a resolution intended to justify the execution of Maximilian by calling upon the committee on Foreign Affairs to examine and report upon how many Americans were killed under the decree of October 3d, 1865. The resolution was laid over.

House of Representatives.

The House opened to-day with a flood of resolutions, bills, etc., all of which were laid on the table, to be referred to the appropriate committees when appointed.

Missouri Volunteer.

Mr. McClurg, of Missouri, called attention to the fact that a bill passed at the last session placing certain Missouri troops on the same footing with others as to the bounty, was not signed by the President because it was not presented to him till two days after the last adjournment. The Speaker expressed a difference of opinion from the position taken by the President, and held that whenever the President might not have the constitutional right to sign the bill if Congress had adjourned, that question had not arisen in this case, Congress having only taken a recess. Mr. McClurg introduced a concurrent resolution for the reenactment of the bills. Mr. Garfield expressed the opinion that what the President had indorsed on the bill as his reason for not signing it, operated as a veto. The Speaker ruled otherwise, the bill not having been returned with the President's objections. Mr. Eliot suggested that the bill had become a law by reason of the President not having returned it within ten days. The Speaker declined to decide that question at present. The consurrent resolution was adopted and sent to the Senate, but that body declined to consider it, on the ground that a new bill would have to be passed.

Mexican Affairs.

A number of resolutions on Mexican affairs were referred to the House Committee on Foreign Affairs, which was appointed in March last, but it is understood that the Committee will make no report on them at present.

Assassination of President Lincoln.

The House then, by a vote of 109 to 34, passed a resolution introduced by Mr. Butler, providing for the appointing of a select committee of five members to inquire into the particulars of the assassination of President Lincoln, with an unlimited power to send for persons and papers, and to report a bill granting amnesty and pardon to such persons as may have been connected with the conspiracy, and who may testify against others. The introduction of this resolution caused a decided sensation in the House, and members gathered in groups listening to the debate upon it. The Chairman of the Judiciary Committee stated that they had taken a large amount of interesting and important evidence on the conspiracy, which they would turn over to this special Committee.

The Reconstruction Supplement.

The Reconstruction Committee reported the Supplemental bill to the House covering the points substantially telegraphed last night. It was decided that a vote should be taken at 2 P. M. to-morrow, the Democratic members to occupy the interim in debating the bill.

As the Senate have a bill of their own, it is expected that the differences between the two houses will be settled about Thursday by a Conference committee.

Kentucky Representatives.

The action of the House Committee on Elections to-day virtually postpones the admission of the Kentucky delegation until next session.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 8, 1867.

SENATE.

Messrs. Johnson and Davis appeared in their seats.

Mr. TRUMBULL, from the Judiciary Committee, reported the following bill, which, after some objection from Mr. SUMNER, was read a second time and ordered printed:

A BILL TO GIVE EFFECT TO "AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE MORE EFFICIENT GOVERNMENT OF THE REBEL STATES," PASSED MARCH 2D, 1867.

Be it enacted, &c., that the true intent and meaning of the act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States, passed March 2d, 1867, is, and shall be construed to be that the military authority of the United States in said rebel States, as provided in said act, was and is paramount to any civil authority existing therein, and that no civil government shall be subordinate to such military authority, or in any manner obstruct or interfere with the exercise of such military authority.

SEC. 2. That the commander of any District named in said act shall have power, subject to the approval of the General of the Army of the United States, whenever in the opinion of the District commander the proper administration of said act shall render it necessary or expedient so to do, to suspend or remove from office or from the performance of official duties and the exercise of official powers any officer or person holding or exercising or pretending to hold or exercise any civil or military office or duty in such District, whether by election, appointment or authority derived from or exercised under the government of the State of which such officer may be a member, or any municipal or other division thereof; and upon any such suspension or removal the commander, subject to the approval of the General aforesaid, shall have power to provide, from time to time, for the performance of the duties of such officer or person so suspended or removed, by the detail or appointment of any officer or soldier of the army to perform the same.

SEC. 3. That the general of the armies of the United States shall be invested with all powers of suspension, removal and detail granted in the preceding section of this supplementary act.

SEC. 4. That the acts of the officers of the army detailed under the provisions of this act, in performing the functions of civil officers and appointing others to perform such functions, are valid.

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Mr. DAWES, from the Committee on Elections, made a report in reference to the cases of Kentucky members, stating in detail the allegations presented in their behalf, and their liability, declaring that no person who had been engaged in the rebellion, or given aid and comfort to it, should be permitted to be sworn as a member, but that the disparity of their constituencies, or the irregularity of their elections were matters that pertained to a contest in the ordinary way, and should not prevent the person holding the certificate from taking his seat. Laid on the table and ordered printed.

Mr. YOUNG, one of the Kentucky members, sent in an answer to the statement of McKee, denouncing it as malicious and false, and declaring he can conscientiously take the oath required by law, and is ready and willing to do so, and denouncing Mr. McKee's slur on the Kentucky Democracy as one that could only have proceeded from a heart abounding in malice and uncharitableness. Referred to the committee on Elections.

Mr. BROOKS presented the protest of Mr. Beck, another of the Kentucky members. Referred.

Mr. LOGAN offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Elections to inquire into the act of disloyalty alleged against the Kentucky members, with power to send for persons and papers, and sit during the recess. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. BUTLER the following was adopted:

WHEREAS, No investigation of all the facts and circumstances connected with the assassination of the late lamented President can be had except it has been had by competent authority, tending to show who were the persons guilty of the crime, and who do the act, its inducements, its objects, its instruments and means of accomplishment; and

WHEREAS, Such investigation cannot be fully had on account of the trying of one or more of the conspirators on a single issue, transcending the questions of the admissibility of evidence confined to the issue; therefore

Be it resolved, by the House of Representatives of the United States of America, That a special committee of five members be raised by the Speaker, whose duty it shall be to investigate all facts and circumstances connected with the assassination of the late lamented President of the United States, and report to this House by bill or otherwise; and to report such facts as they may deem necessary to the action of the House at any time, with such recommendations as may seem proper.

Be it further resolved, That such committee, for the purpose of this investigation, shall have power to administer oaths, to send for persons and papers, and appoint a clerk and stenographer, and to sit during any recess of Congress; and that the expenses of the investigation be paid from the contingent fund of the House.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of all testimony taken by the Committee on the Judiciary of the Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Congresses, and germain to the subject, be referred to the said committee.

Be it further resolved, That as the crime to be investigated is one of the most important and unusual character, and is believed to have included in its plan and preparation many persons holding high positions of power and authority, that the said Committee be empowered, from any department or officer of the Government, to require the production of such papers and documents as they may deem necessary to the investigation, and to send for persons to appear before them, who shall give material and faithful evidence tending to bring to light the facts of the conspiracy, and that in the judgment of the House no person in whose behalf the President may hereafter ought to be brought to trial on any evidence given by him to the committee, or used against such person on the day of trial.

The SPEAKER subsequently announced the Special Committee as follows: Messrs. Butler, Shellabarger, Wilson, Ward and Raymond.

On motion of Mr. SCHENCK, the President was called on for a full report of the proceedings of the cabinet meeting on the Reconstruction act.

Mr. STEVENS reported from the Reconstruction Committee the following bill:

Be it enacted, &c., That it is hereby declared to have been the true intent and meaning of the act of the 2d day of March, 1867, entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States," and of the act supplementary thereto, passed on the 23d day of March, 1867, that the governments then existing in the rebel States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas, were illegal and void, and that thereafter said governments continued, were to be continued subject in all respects to the military commander of the respective districts, and the military authority of Congress.

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Mr. DAWES, from the Committee on Elections, made a report in reference to the cases of Kentucky members, stating in detail the allegations presented in their behalf, and their liability, declaring that no person who had been engaged in the rebellion, or given aid and comfort to it, should be permitted to be sworn as a member, but that the disparity of their constituencies, or the irregularity of their elections were matters that pertained to a contest in the ordinary way, and should not prevent the person holding the certificate from taking his seat. Laid on the table and ordered printed.

Mr. YOUNG, one of the Kentucky members, sent in an answer to the statement of McKee, denouncing it as malicious and false, and declaring he can conscientiously take the oath required by law, and is ready and willing to do so, and denouncing Mr. McKee's slur on the Kentucky Democracy as one that could only have proceeded from a heart abounding in malice and uncharitableness. Referred to the committee on Elections.

Mr. BROOKS presented the protest of Mr. Beck, another of the Kentucky members. Referred.

Mr. LOGAN offered a resolution instructing the Committee on Elections to inquire into the act of disloyalty alleged against the Kentucky members, with power to send for persons and papers, and sit during the recess. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. BUTLER the following was adopted:

WHEREAS, No investigation of all the facts and circumstances connected with the assassination of the late lamented President can be had except it has been had by competent authority, tending to show who were the persons guilty of the crime, and who do the act, its inducements, its objects, its instruments and means of accomplishment; and

WHEREAS, Such investigation cannot be fully had on account of the trying of one or more of the conspirators on a single issue, transcending the questions of the admissibility of evidence confined to the issue; therefore

Be it resolved, by the House of Representatives of the United States of America, That a special committee of five members be raised by the Speaker, whose duty it shall be to investigate all facts and circumstances connected with the assassination of the late lamented President of the United States, and report to this House by bill or otherwise; and to report such facts as they may deem necessary to the action of the House at any time, with such recommendations as may seem proper.

Be it further resolved, That such committee, for the purpose of this investigation, shall have power to administer oaths, to send for persons and papers, and appoint a clerk and stenographer, and to sit during any recess of Congress; and that the expenses of the investigation be paid from the contingent fund of the House.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of all testimony taken by the Committee on the Judiciary of the Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Congresses, and germain to the subject, be referred to the said committee.

Be it further resolved, That as the crime to be investigated is one of the most important and unusual character, and is believed to have included in its plan and preparation many persons holding high positions of power and authority, that the said Committee be empowered, from any department or officer of the Government, to require the production of such papers and documents as they may deem necessary to the investigation, and to send for persons to appear before them, who shall give material and faithful evidence tending to bring to light the facts of the conspiracy, and that in the judgment of the House no person in whose behalf the President may hereafter ought to be brought to trial on any evidence given by him to the committee, or used against such person on the day of trial.

The SPEAKER subsequently announced the Special Committee as follows: Messrs. Butler, Shellabarger, Wilson, Ward and Raymond.

On motion of Mr. SCHENCK, the President was called on for a full report of the proceedings of the cabinet meeting on the Reconstruction act.

Mr. STEVENS reported from the Reconstruction Committee the following bill:

Be it enacted, &c., That it is hereby declared to have been the true intent and meaning of the act of the 2d day of March, 1867, entitled an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States," and of the act supplementary thereto, passed on the 23d day of March, 1867, that the governments then existing in the rebel States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Mississippi, Alabama, Louisiana, Texas and Arkansas, were illegal and void, and that thereafter said governments continued, were to be continued subject in all respects to the military commander of the respective districts, and the military authority of Congress.

SEC. 2. That the said acts to which this is a supplement be construed to authorize the officer assigned to the command of any military district under said acts whenever he shall deem it necessary for the prevention of his duties under said acts, to remove any person from any office, whether he be an officer, or person exercising authority under or by virtue of any law, State government or municipal regulation, and said officer so assigned to command so aforesaid is hereby empowered to detail another person to perform the duty of the officer or person so removed if he shall deem it proper so to do, and who shall be subject to the same penalties for neglect, refusal or set aside any act or proceeding of any officer or person so detailed, as the officer or person detailed would be subject to by virtue of his authority.

SEC. 3. That the boards of registration provided for in the act entitled "an act supplementary to an act entitled 'an act to provide for the more efficient government of the rebel States,' passed March 2d, 1867, and for other purposes," passed March 23d, 1867, shall have the power, and it shall be their duty to ascertain upon such facts or information as they may deem satisfactory whether any person shall be registered under said act, and the oath prescribed in said act shall not be conclusive on such question, and no person shall be registered unless such Board shall ascertain that he is entitled thereto, to be administered by any member of such Board, and one touching the qualifications of any person claiming registration.

SEC. 4. That the time having arrived, according to the act prescribed in the supplementary act to, among other things, that no person who shall be disqualified by the fourth section of said act, or who shall be an executive or judicial officer in any State, or who shall have given aid or comfort to the enemies of the United States or any rebellion against the United States, or given aid and comfort to the enemies thereof, as described in said act, shall be registered to vote, and the Boards of registration in each District shall cause a careful enrollment to be made of all persons entitled by law for the administration of general laws of the State.

SEC. 5. That the time for completing the original registration provided for in said act in any district, be extended to the first day of October, 1867, and it shall be the duty of the Boards of registration in all the districts, commencing twenty days prior to any election under said act, and upon reasonable public notice of the time and place thereof, to revise for a period of three days the registration of persons entitled thereto by said act, and to register such persons as have been registered, to strike out the names of persons who have died or removed from the district, and to register such persons as shall be allowed to vote, and such boards shall make a list of persons who, at that time, possess the same qualifications required by said act to entitle them to be registered, and no person shall at any election be allowed to be registered or vote by reason of any executive or judicial act, or thing which, without such pardon or amnesty, would disqualify him from registering or voting.

SEC. 6. That section 4th of said last named act, shall be construed to authorize the commanding General named therein, whenever he shall deem it for the public interest so to do, and for reasonable cause, from time to time, to remove any officer appointed by him in pursuance of said act, and appoint another person in his stead, and to fill any vacancy in said Boards.

On motion of Mr. HENDERSON, a resolution was adopted calling upon the Secretary of War and Secretary of the Interior for information as to the origin and extent of the Indian difficulties.

Resolutions previously submitted, calling upon the state department for all correspondence with Lewis D. Campbell, while minister to Mexico, and with his successor since his appointment, also calling upon the Secretary of State for information concerning recent events in Mexico, were defeated.

In reply to an inquiry from Mr. Howard, Mr. SUMNER said he expected this resolution would obtain an authentic account of the capture, trial and execution of Maximilian and Santa Anna.

Mr. HOWARD entertained the belief that if the truth was fully communicated, it would have a very beneficial effect in correcting a sort of childish sentimentalism, if he might be allowed that expression, on the subject of the execution, or, in other words, just punishment of one who, according to his [Howard's] idea, was the most arrant felon of the present day.

The resolution of Mr. SUMNER was adopted.

Mr. CHANDLER offered a resolution directing the Committee on Foreign Affairs to examine into and report at the earliest practicable moment concerning the decree of Maximilian, issued October 3d, 1865, and the statements that certain Mexican officers and 10,000 other Mexican officers and men were inhumanly murdered in cold blood after having surrendered as prisoners of war, in violation of every law and usage of civilized warfare. The resolution went over till to-morrow.

The resolution of the House tendering the thanks of Congress to General Sheridan, came up when Mr. POMEROY raised the point that the Senate could not consider it under the resolution of Friday.

Mr. TIPTON moved to suspend the resolution of Friday to allow the passage of all these resolutions of thanks. Negatived, 5 against 27.

Mr. DRAKE moved that the Senate take up the concurrent resolution of the House directing the re-enrollment of the bill of the last session for the payment of bounties to certain Missouri troops. The bill was passed by both Houses last session, but not presented to the President in time to receive his signature.

Mr. ROSS hoped the Senate would pass this resolution. The failure of the bill to receive the President's signature in time was not his fault, although it was unavoidable.

Mr. BUCKALEW said the bill having failed under the circumstances named must be passed.

Pending consideration of this subject the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. ADAMS, representative from the Eighth Congressional District of Kentucky, was qualified by taking the oath.

A large number of bills and joint resolutions were introduced, including a bill to repeal the bankrupt law, and one abolishing national banks, redeeming bills with legal tenders, and issuing the latter directly to the people.

Also a resolution by Mr. BROOKS, denouncing the execution of prisoners of war, directing the Senate to report a bill repealing so much of the neutrality laws as forbid the organization in the United States of emigration to other parties to effect and secure settlement in Mexico.

Also, a resolution by Mr. WOOD, of inquiry what action should be taken by the Government of the United States in view of the forcible abduction of General Santa Anna from the American vessel by the Mexican authorities in June, and whether the existing treaty between the United States and Mexico and the law of nations were not violated in that case in such manner as together with the general failure of the rights and property of Americans to call for immediate and summary action upon the part of this Government. Referred.

Mr. ASHLEY offered a constitutional amendment providing that all persons hereafter naturalized must be able to read and write the English language as a qualification for voting. Also, that no person shall hold office, civil or military, under the United States or under a member of any Legislature or convention which passed an act of secession or voted therefor, or who held a commission above the rank of captain in the insurgent army

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THE COMMERCIAL *is the largest daily paper in the State, and gives daily one-fourth more reading than any other paper in Pittsburgh. It is the only Pittsburgh paper that uses the telegraph liberally, gives full market reports, and all the news of the day.*

THE principal part of the address of Rev. Col. CLARK, of this city, delivered on the occasion of laying the corner stone of the Fayette County Soldiers' Monument, Thursday last, will be found on the third page.

THE sudden death of THOMAS FRANCIS MEAGHER will be widely lamented. During the war of the rebellion he did gallant service in the field, and in the far West where he had located appeared to be destined to a career of usefulness and distinction. Few men of his age ever attain to so much fame as Gen. MEAGHER.

THE vote of the Senate to *condone* the business of the session to perfecting the Reconstruction Law, was another failure on the part of Mr. SUMNER. His scheme for considering all sorts of questions was broken like worthless crockery; and the impeachers, though they indulge in great expectations, are likely to fare not much better. A ten days' session appears to be the general understanding.

IN the Mexican order of things we may shortly look for a revolution in Mexico that will overthrow JUAREZ and bring some other chieftain to the surface to take his turn at the wheel of "outrageous fortune." Even now the thing is said to be brewing. They have had too much success, as well as blood in Mexico. It is upward of thirty years since a Mexican has been able to stand success.

IT is a little surprising that our very oracular neighbor should imagine an inconsistency in our denunciation of the shooting of MAXIMILIAN, while we condemn the bailing of JEFF. DAVIS. If he will turn his discriminating powers, after reenforcing and sharpening them a little, again upon the case, he may perceive that the capital execution of MAXIMILIAN without fair trial and through the clamor of a brutal populace, and the evasion of a trial by straw bail in the case of DAVIS, are both open to the objection that we have raised against them. A decent regard for law and judicial precedence is outraged in both cases. The dead body of MAXIMILIAN on the one hand, and the long legs of DAVIS carrying him northward, as two years ago they carried him southward, on the other hand, suggest ideas of such maladministration of law and justice as would be fatal to society, should it become, in either form, the common mode. DAVIS himself, though not, of course, so astute and discriminating as our neighbor, evidently understood this particular case rather better than he.

SHALL WE HAVE A FREE RAILROAD LAW?

To-day what as much as anything is the distinguishing characteristic of our country is the zeal with which inland trade is competed for. The great railroad corporations are putting forth all their energies to penetrate the distant producing regions and form connections to control the ebb and flow of internal trade and travel. Communities great and small are contributing to the extent of their ability to encourage the competition, and, except in Pennsylvania, where legislation is asked for as a general thing it is freely given,—given not solely to obtain and control the trade and travel between the West and the seaboard; not solely to build roads and form connections across the Continent, but to develope home resources, to stimulate local improvement, and foster home enterprise.

We are compelled to except Pennsylvania, for the Legislature of this State has been persistently deaf to the petitions of the people for the kind of legislation that will permit the building of railroads, except in the interest of the great Central Monopoly. Had the Legislature fifteen months ago passed the Free Railroad Law, hundreds of miles of new railroads would be under contract at this moment; and vast regions of our State, before undeveloped, but rich in the wealth of minerals and the forest, would begin to teem with new life, henceforth to contribute untold millions to the individual and collective wealth of the State.

After repeated failures the people at last have an opportunity presented to them to secure a general Free Railroad Law. The decision of the question will rest with the next Legislature. The Republican party in their late State Convention declared unequivocally for the Free System, and the local conventions have thus far been equally explicit. On the contrary, the Democratic State Convention ignored the question altogether, and the local conventions, as a general thing, are doing the same thing. It is a Republican measure therefore, and in no way can a Free Law be obtained but by sustaining the Republican Party. That and the question whether the National Currency, in accordance with the opinion of Judge SHARSWOOD, shall be declared bogus, constitute the issue in this State in the pending canvass. It would be an insult to the intelligence of the people to stop to argue it.

THE FAILURE OF AN EXPERIMENT.

In England, where Trades' Unions have been longest in existance and under the best organization, tradesmen are losing their confidence in and their attachment to them. The rank and file which compose the most numerous portion of these associations, finding themselves hampered and controlled by the managing few, have very naturally come to desire more individual liberty in making arrangements for the disposal of their own time and labor. The artificial and arbitrary codes employed for regulating the wages of labor are found to work unequally and oppressively on some classes of workmen, and to reduce all to a sort of dependent serfdom. On the other hand, it is seen, that the legitimate control of the rate of wages, by the rule of supply and demand, as in the case of other commodities, and contracts, leaves the individual at liberty to consult his own volition and circumstances, and also permits the more skilled or more efficient workman to have his just advantage for his superiority, instead of being loaded down to the grade of inferior hands.

A similar feeling, resulting from the same cause, operates in this country. In fact, Trades' Unions are exotics, and are not adapted to the condition of this new country, where the demand for labor is in excess of the supply, and where wages are consequently higher than elsewhere. They proffer advantages where the mass of laborers, and even skilled workmen, as in England, live on the very borders of poverty, even while constantly employed. Here skill, industry and sobriety make the individual so independent that he has no need of associations to secure employment or good pay for his work. Such a man subjects himself to disadvantages of no small extent when he takes the yoke of any Union upon him. He parts with a portion of his personal advantages, along with the independence, for the benefit of a class of workmen inferior to himself.

Scores of men, by such an unfortunate and deceptive association, have been constrained to suffer loss, to be unemployed, to see their families put to inconvenience and even privation, when their individual judgment did not approve of the action of the Union that decreed it. A mistaken feeling of obligations to obey the mandate and do as the rest did, has entailed these results upon many skillful workmen and respectable members of society. We do not wonder, therefore, that the American spirit should chafe and fret under such conditions, even though the pretended advantages connected with them were real and not merely imaginary. As to the beneficial character of the societies, we have nothing to say in the way of objection. It is creditable to assist the needy, in sickness and distress, and it is prudent to provide funds for the purpose. But, this is not necessarily connected with the objectionable feature to which we have referred, by which the rates of wages are fixed and enforced by penalties on members and by concerted exaction on employers. As this does not suit the free genius of this country, so its history proves that it will not answer the purpose proposed.

SHALL JUDGE SHARSWOOD'S OPINION STAND?

The opinion of Judge SHARSWOOD, the Democratic candidate for the Bench of the Supreme Court, speaks for itself. The *Post* professes to be "gratified" at the COMMERCIAL has published it in full," and invites, with much show of confidence, "to its consideration, every lawyer who is a lawyer." If the *Post* is so confident, why, we might ask, does it withhold the document from its own readers, and give its own soft money instead? We published it in full over a week ago, and deemed it as carrying the evidence of its unsoundness in itself, to require little comment from us. The *Post*, on the contrary, withholds the opinion and gives its own harangues in place of it.

The opinion of Judge SHARSWOOD is adverse to our present currency and would, if admitted, depreciate its value greatly, if it did not render it utterly worthless. The *Post* agrees with it. The opinion has not been admitted in any Court. In the Court and the case in which it was given, it was opposed by the other Judges and therefore had neither authority nor influence. Its very form and style are more like an argument of counsel than like an opinion from the Court. The citations from MARSHALL and STORY might have been made by a member of the bar as well as by a Judge of the Bench. The relevancy of the citations is not admitted, but denied in the decision of the Judges.

This opinion, as it is called, or argument, of Judge SHARSWOOD had no general importance, beyond the particular case that called it forth, until its author appeared as a candidate, by the Democratic nomination, for a seat on the Supreme Bench. It now becomes a matter of vast importance, from its connection with the question of currency and finance. It is easy to see how Judge SHARSWOOD would decide every case that might involve the collection of money or the payment of debts, and what endless litigation and financial disaster would follow, had he the power as Judge of the Supreme Court to nullify the whole present system of currency in the State.

And from the blind and reckless zeal with which the party press advocate his sentiments, or, at least praise them, while not giving them in his language to their readers, it is evident that Judge SHARSWOOD is to be the representative of an organized war upon the present money interests of the Commonwealth, the effect of which would be to embarrass all kinds of business. We do not hold Judge SHARSWOOD responsible immediately for these results, for his opinion was given by him in a specific case legitimately before him in court. But the Democratic party is responsible for placing him and his opinion in the position they now occupy. And it is but in accord with its entire policy for the last few years, to seek restoration to power and office, even by the damage of the country. That the Republic should receive no detriment, is the least and the last consideration entering into the policy of that degenerate political faction. It is a fitting sequel to its procedure during the rebellion that it should prosecute a war against the laws of Congress and the fiscal interests of the Union.

THE work of harvesting the wheat crop in Missouri is nearly over, and the expectation of a heavy yield of grain of a superior quality was not disappointed. The other crops are as promising as was the wheat at any time.

IT is reported that some of the hotel keepers in Chicago have actually reduced their charges to the self-sacrificing price of four dollars a day for each of their guests. The traveling public should be very thankful for this remarkable act of condescension—the more remarkable for being entirely spontaneous, after a long, prosperous and arbitrary rule of five dollars a day.

"Lessons of the War."

This was the title of Governor Bullock's address, at Springfield, Mass., on the Fourth of July. We quote the following hopeful paragraph:

> We are to be a unity of national strength hereafter, which all the ports acknowledge their subordination. That we have learned of late, we have never had before. We are to have it in all time to come; for the sacrifice of the brave Union dead, and Grant and Sheridan on the one side, and Lee and Stonewall Jackson on the other, among the living, and Congress and the people support the declaration, we are to have it, for ever more in all for power, for glory,—for all material interests, and for the moral influence to be exerted hereafter. Not only shall we have no more fratricidal wars, but no more disputes among ourselves. If we have any questions to settle hereafter, we are resolved to offer the example of our past as the guaranty of our future, and forth from the flag of the indivisible union of the States, now strengthened, we consign all questions to the test of justice and equity, and of our confidence that we can and will maintain the credit of American nationality.

West Virginia Oil Regions.

The Parkersburg *Times*, of Thursday, says: Within a couple of weeks post a great change for the better is apparent at Burning Springs, and active operations have increased four-fold. On last Friday the Randolph Well commenced to flow about 100 barrels per day up to last evening. The well of the Paint Creek and Ritchie County Oil and Mining Company No. 2, known as the Clay Well, commenced to flow 150 barrels of oil per day, about a week since, and by dispatch last evening we learn that it was still flowing 100 barrels. The Rice Well is doing handsomely, and the Newberger and Burden Well has latterly increased its production nearly double. Here is a grain of comfort for the despairing.

Prospect of the Gold Premium.

The New York *Economist* argues this question and comes to the following conclusions: It is likely to be some time before the market will receive any additional supply of coin. The amount due on July coupons, was about $19,000,000; on the 1st September, a small amount becomes payable on 10-40 coupons, and after that no further payments are due until November 1st. Considering that, for the next four months, about $25,000,000 per month will be required for customs duties alone, to say nothing of what may be wanted for export, it is very clear that if the government declines to sell gold freely, the premium may advance to much higher figures, on account of its actual scarcity.

A Workingman's Party.

A proposition having been made to organize a workingmen's party, a contemporary offers the following judicious counsel to workingmen: If the workingmen mean a party devoted to the wants of those who labor for wages in mechanical employments; a party of "workingmen," technically so called, embodying those who now co-operate in trades-unions, and aiming at higher wages and eight hours' labor, they are likely to stir up a conflict between themselves and two other interests, each very powerful—the agricultural and the moneyed interest. The agricultural interest is more powerful in this country than any other. If pushed to consolidate and act for itself in political matters, it would control every Congress and almost every Legislature. The farmers, as a class are both laborers and capitalists: they work and they hire; they are producers and yet they own a property, and often have surplus earnings invested in stocks, banks or bonds. The agricultural interest will not favor any compulsory change in wages or hours of labor by means of legislation. It will naturally combine with the enforced low charges of the workingmen, will lower the price of themselves and their commands of capital, have to resist unreasonable demands of workingmen. True friends of workingmen will counsel them to work with their employers in operation with a fair welfare by co-operation—by demanding spring and producing benefit the whole country requires—that shall be a privileged interests." [illegible] end of special or

KRUPP'S GUN.—The great cast-steel gun exhibited by Krupp of Essen, at the Paris exposition, weighs, including breech, 50 tons. The weight of the breech-piece is 15 cwt. The diameter of the bore is 14 inches, and the total length of the barrel is 17½ feet. It is rifled and contains 40 grooves, one-fifteenth of an inch deep. It carries a solid shot weighing 1,100 Prussian pounds, or a steel shell weighing 981 pounds. Weight of powder charge, from 100 to 120 pounds. The gun-carriage weighs 15 tons, and will turn upon a turn-table now in the course of construction, the total weight of which will be 25 tons. This can be worked by two men. The cylindrical tube forming the piece is made of a solid forging of steel. Three superposed rings or cylinders of different lengths, weighing 50 tons, are shrunk upon the central tube, which weighs 20 tons. To manufacture this gun, work was carried on night and day for 16 months. It was brought to Paris on a railway truck made at the same works specially for this purpose. The price of the piece, including the carriage, is 145,000 Prussian thalers, or $105,870.

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

In some of the towns in Western Massachusetts a thriving business is carried on in the sale of "cabbage plants." The customers are said to call at a very early hour in the morning. The most curious part of the transaction is that the customers all bring *jugs or bottles* to get their *cabbage plants* in!

In the Constitutional Convention of Michigan the committee on the subject of granting licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquors, have reported a prohibitory clause; but it is probable the question will be submitted to the people distinct from every other question.

Steel is thought by Professor Winter to be an excellent material for domestic vessels, such as saucepans. The entire vessel may be in one piece, without rivets or soldering, will heat quicker and is more healthful than copper. Russ of Gratz has carried this idea into practice, and manufactures steel household utensils very successfully.

The following are the rates of freight on live stock by the different Eastern routes: By the Michigan Central and Grand Trunk, 30c to Buffalo and return passes. By the Michigan Southern and Grand Trunk road, 30c to Buffalo, with passes over the Grand Trunk from Detroit to Buffalo, and no passes over the Michigan Southern. By the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago road, to Pittsburgh, 30c, and no return passes.

The population of Detroit now is estimated to be 80,000.

An English lady at the Court of Vienna, with whom an "Imperial Highness" danced three times on the same evening, dattered by his attention, frankly expressed her gratification at the compliment. "I did not intend it as a compliment," was the answer. "Then," said the lady, "your Highness must be very fond of dancing." "I detest dancing," was the unsatisfactory response. "What, then, may I ask, can be your Imperial Highness's motive for dancing?" "Madame," was the crushing personage's curt reply, my "medical attendant advises me to perspire."

In the United States there are 36,806 miles of railroads, which is about 38 per cent. of the whole mileage in the world. Next to the United States stands Great Britain and Ireland, where the length of railroad is 13,936; next comes France, with 8,982 miles, and next Prussia with 5,701 miles.

PERSONAL.

—In the Paris Guide Book M. Assolant tells a story of General Kutusof, who commanded the allied army at Austerlitz. The plan of the battle was drawn by Weirother, a German, and Kutusof, too good a General not to see its faults, but too much of a courtier to contradict the Czar, remarked afterwards to Prince Tolstoi, Chamberlain of the Palace: "If we give battle we shall lose it." "Then why do this," "I only meddle with sauces and roast meat," replied Tolstoi. "Tell him yourself."

—Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler has been censured for allowing himself to be photographed while offering prayer. A daguerreotype of the English church, Rev. Samuel Wilberforce, has also been taken in the attitude of a Roman Catholic Bishop imparting a blessing. Both of these reverend gentlemen have badly less trouble about their pictures than M. Alexander Dumas.

—The French, it is said, experience no little mortification because the body of foreigners, especially their royal visitors, persisted in paying less attention to the exhibition than the eatery, drinking, dancing and sight seeing of that description generally. The Czar of Russia hurries to the Varieties to see Mdlle Schneider dance the *cancan*. The King of Prussia remains in the outer circles of Cytherea and drinks great mugs of beer for the sake of its soothing and narcotic properties. The beauties outside the Exhibition are visited assiduously by the Sovereigns, but the scientific sections within are sadly neglected. The curled and painted hoaxis, who lisp and amble and ogle and leer as they hand the cool drink across the counter, are much noticed and complimented by the Sovereigns; but the *femmes*, who have been whole days preparing a system of science made easy to receive the Royal visitors, are passed by without observation. Prince Humbert rushed through the galleries for a quarter of an hour, during which time all the several objects presented to his notice, then seated himself before the Italian glacier, called for a granite ice, and then for a "*nataffia*," then for "*nataffia*," and then for another "*nataffia*," and so continued until the time allotted for his visit had expired—then left the building without returning to the inner courts again.

—Prof. Gibson of the Presbyterian College, Belfast, Ireland, whose visit to this country a few years since will be remembered by many, died suddenly while in attendance upon the meeting of the General Assembly at Dublin. After a late session, he retired to his lodgings, and was found nearly dead upon the floor, surviving but a few minutes, having fallen in a fit of apoplexy. He was in his 59th year.

—The Pope proposes to get up quite an assembly of sovereigns at Rome. Queen Isabella will have quarters in the Quirinal. The Queen of Portugal is confidently expected, and the King of Prussia and the Sultan are talked of. Then there is the long-talked of visit of the Empress Eugenie, which may be made with the rest.

—Referring to the inscription designed to perpetuate the name and illustrate the virtues of Prince Albert, the London correspondent of the Boston *Advertiser* says: It is impossible to read all these sacred attributes, thus to be handed down to posterity in imperishable marble as belonging to the Prince Consort, without coming to the conclusion that the widowed Queen, even at this distance of time from her husband's decease, is a monomaniac on the subject of his character, and that long and unlucky brooding over one idea has narrowed her mental powers. It would not be at all improbable if this were to result in insanity, which often follows in similar cases.

—The brick machine of Isaac Gregg, once a Pittsburgher, is attracting much attention in Paris, although it is exhibited at a disadvantage. Just at present inventions of this description are of special interest there. Says a Paris letter: Among others, I found twice inscribed the name of the President of the Corps Legislatif. M. Schneider, the head of the great iron foundry of Creusot, the most important of the kind in France, and whose scrue of the excellencies of Mr. Gregg's machine was manifested by his passing several hours in minute examination of its structure and operation.

Kenwood School--Error Corrected.

To the Editor of the Pittsburgh Commercial:

An erroneous impression having been made upon the mind of the community that the property of Kenwood School has been sold, and that the institution is hereafter to be known as University of St. Augustine, I desire, through your columns to efface this impression, and to say, that in future the school will be conducted as in time past, and under the same name and title, though with greatly increased advantages over former years.

The design will be a school of the highest class for boys, in which they may obtain an education that will fit them for College or for business, including thorough intellectual training in the various branches of learning, manly exercises to preserve health and strengthen the body; esthetic culture to refine the manners and elevate the taste, together with careful moral and religious instruction. The school will enter upon its thirteenth year in September next, and catalogues, giving full information as to the terms, discipline and course of study will be sent on application after July 11th. Reference also will be given to eminent gentlemen in our principal cities and towns, who have had sons educated here, as to the high character of the school, and comfort and completeness of its appointments. P.

NEW BRIGHTON, PA., July 4th, 1867.

AMERICAN emigration to the Brazils has averaged three hundred per month, men, women and children, for the last six months, and of this number some few have prospects of eventually doing well there, while others are suffering for the necessaries of life, and are, in fact, perfectly destitute. The lands assigned to them are a wild wilderness, in some cases never traversed before by the foot of man. They have no implements with which to clear this land, no shelter for themselves and families, nothing to eat except the spontaneous growth of the country, and no implements with which to cultivate such land as they may clear; no seeds to plant, and, in case they do produce anything, have no means of transportation by which to market their productions; and, above all this, they have no money with which to procure the necessaries of life. The emigrants generally are a class of people too lazy to work in their own country, (and a man that cannot succeed in the United States can succeed nowhere, there being no country in the world offering advantages to equal it,) and by their laziness had become reduced to poverty.

THE following is an interesting description of the way they do things at the mint at Yeddo:

"There are about three hundred hands employed in the building. When the men enter in the morning they are made to divest themselves of their own clothes, and put on others belonging to the mint. At the end of a day's work a gong sounds, when the somewhat curious spectacle is presented of 300 men springing from the ground on which they had been seated, throwing off their clothes, and rushing, all naked through, to one end of the yard. Here they pass through the following ordeal in order to prove that they have no silver on them: They work hair is pulled down and examined, view, they their hands and hold them up to daylight, they rub the waters, and then hallos, and, clearing two or three hurdles on their way, go to their lodgings, where they are allowed to

THE real estate of Mexico is valued at $1,-265,000,000—or, nominally, $166 50 per head. But an analysis of the census shows that there are only 15,000 landed estates in the country—which are estimated at $720,000,000. Town property is reckoned at about $685,000,000. The clergy possess $300,000,000—nearly one quarter of the national domain. It is estimated that all the real estate in the country is in the hands of less than half a million of persons—that fifteen-sixteenths of the Mexican people have no interest in the soil.

WASHINGTON AND JEFFERSON COLLEGE.

Celebration of the Fourth by the Literary Societies at Washington.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, PA., July 6, 1867.

Pursuant to arrangements made by the Literary Societies, the evening was celebrated in Commencement Hall. At seven and a half o'clock it was completely filled with an intelligent and orderly audience. The excellent brass band of the borough was in attendance, and conducted its part of the performance with credit to themselves and the occasion. First in order was an impressive prayer by President Edwards. This was followed by music; then an original oration by J. H. Clark, Washington Society, Youngstown, Ohio, entitled, "We still Live." It was well composed and ably delivered, reflecting honor and credit alike to the speaker and the society which he represented. This was followed by an oration, by J. M. Oliver, Union Society, Prosperity, Pa., entitled, "The Martyrs of the Republic." Possessed with fine abilities, and the experience of three years' service in the late war, the speaker did justice to himself and the society of which he is a member. This was followed by "The Patriotic Women of America," delivered by G. W. Skinner, Washington Society, of Chambersburg, Pa. We are not presumptuous in saying that a large majority of the ladies present would have accorded him the "first honor" of the class of speakers. Possessing abilities of no ordinary nature, and being an ardent admirer of the fair sex, he did justice to himself and the ladies he represented.

This was followed by the "American Sword," by James Duncan, Union Society, of Fredericktown, Ohio. If the sword had been wielded as powerfully during the late war, as this speaker wielded his arguments in favor of it being the arbiter of nations, we doubt not that the struggle would have ended long before it did. At the close of this "Sinning," we think Union sentiment and society were six "secores" ahead.

This speaker was followed by "Progress of America," delivered by T. Jeff. Duncan, Washington Society, of Brownsville, Pa. We are safe in saying that the gentleman possesses a mind of the first order. His speech, throughout, evinced a depth of mind, and strength and breadth of intellect, which, if properly cultivated, will, at some future day, place him among the leading spirits of the age. These, coupled with a good voice, pleasing delivery, and a fine personal appearance, rendered this one of the best performances of the evening.

Following this was the closing speech, delivered by J. M. Acheson, Union Society, of this place, entitled "Future Prospects." This gentleman, by his masterly performance, made it evident to the minds of all present, that he justly merited the honor of making the closing speech. Possessed with an excellent voice, a good delivery, and all the requisites of a good orator and speaker, we can safely say that if these are promised fulfilling he will be accorded a high position in the community and age in which he lives. President Edwards then made a few happy and well timed remarks, fitting and appropriate to the occasion, after which was the reading of toasts, jests and queries, by the chairman of the Toast Committees of the societies, Messrs. May, of the Union, and Dunn, of the Washington.

The toasts were of different varieties, being national and patriotic, complimentary and amusing. They were quite spicy, and reflected no little credit upon the students who contributed them. The only fault the audience had to find was that there was not enough of them. We believe that twenty-five or thirty more would not only have been listened to with patience, but would have been received with pleasure. After the reading of the toasts, the exercises of the evening were closed by the benediction pronounced by Dr. Edwards, and the audience dispersed well pleased with the entertainment.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

OFFICE OF THE WHITESTOWN COAL CO.,
PITTSBURGH, July 8, 1867.

THE REGULAR INSTALLMENT OF ONE PER CENT. on the capital stock of the Whitestown Coal Co., is now due, and the Treasurer will please call on the undersigned and settle. By order of the

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

OFFICE OF THE NATIONAL LIVE STOCK INSURANCE CO.,
PITTSBURGH, July 8, 1867.

DIVIDEND—THE BOARD of Directors of this Company have declared a Dividend of TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS per share, payable in cash to the stockholders, on and after the 15th inst.

JAS. A. STEVENSON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAS COMPANY,
July 8, 1867.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.—THE Trustees of the Pittsburgh Gas Company have this day declared a Dividend on the capital stock of TWO DOLLARS AND FIFTY CENTS per share, out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith at the office of the Company.

W. H. MCELHANY, Treasurer.

PITTSBURGH, July 1, 1867.

DIVIDEND—THE BIRMINGHAM AND PITTSBURGH BRIDGE COMPANY has declared a Dividend of ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS per share out of the profits of the last six months, payable forthwith at the office of EDWARD MOYLE, Agent Treasurer.

A. L. STEVENSON, Sec'y.

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100 six pound boxes of Kingsford & Son's Oswego Silver Gloss Starch, just received and for sale at the Family Grocery of

LEWIS & McCLURE.
346 Liberty street.

HARRISBURG, JULY 20, 1867.

TO THE HOLDERS
OF THE
LOANS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA,
DUE JULY 1ST, 1868.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund will receive Proposals until September 30, 1867, for the Redemption of One Million Dollars of the Loans of this Commonwealth, due July 1st, 1868.

Holders will address their proposals to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, and indorsed "Proposals for the Redemption of Loans of 1868."

FRANCIS JORDAN,
Secretary of State.
JOHN F. HARTRANFT,
Auditor General.
WILLIAM H. KEMBLE,
State Treasurer.

This

NOTICE

TO THE HOLDERS OF
OVERDUE LOANS
OF THE
COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Holders of the following Loans of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania can receive payment (principal and interest), by presenting them at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, on and after MAY 20, 1867:

Loan of March 24, 1828, due Dec. 1, 1853.
Loan of April 23, 1829, due Dec. 1, 1854.
Loan of April 16, 1845, due Aug. 1, 1855.
Loan of March 21, 1831, due July 1, 1856.

All of the above Loans will cease to draw interest on August 1, 1867.

JOHN W. GEARY,
Governor.
JOHN F. HARTRANFT,
Auditor General.
WILLIAM H. KEMBLE,
State Treasurer.

This

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MESSRS. FAHNESTOCK & HOLTON—GENTLEMEN: I have been suffering with Chronic Dyspepsia for about twelve years, in its worst form, which I think one of the most disagreeable, unpleasant and painful diseases to which the human frame is liable to suffer another, without any but temporary relief. After reading different medicines to recommend for its cure, I would sometimes feel relieved, but would soon relapse into, in fact, more than ever, I have been using

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Regularly, for about six weeks. I feel satisfied that they have cured me entirely, as my general health is very good. I can eat anything, my appetite craving without any unpleasant feelings afterwards, which was a great trouble before, often having to throw up my meals. After using the Bitters a short time, I easily, they rub the waters, and then hallos, and, years satisfactorily; I really think I am a changed man entirely, also owing to the efficacy of MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS. Those suffering with the same disease, Dyspepsia, are at liberty to call on me at any time at my place of business, Ash & Sholes' Planing Mill, Marbury street, Pittsburgh.

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Are now constructing a Railroad from

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Westward towards the Pacific Ocean, making with its connections an unbroken line

ACROSS THE CONTINENT.

The Company now offer a limited amount of their

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Having thirty years to run, and bearing annual interest, payable on the first day of January and July, in the city of New York, at the rate of

SIX PER CENT. IN GOLD,
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Ninety Cents on the Dollar.

This road was completed from Omaha 305 miles west on the 1st of January, 1867, and is fully equipped, and trains are regularly running over it. The Company has now on hand sufficient iron, ties, etc., to finish the remaining portion to the eastern base of the Rocky Mountains, 214 miles, which is under contract to be done September 1st of this year, and it is expected that the entire road will be in running order from Omaha to its western connection with the Central Pacific, now being rapidly built eastward from Sacramento, Cal., during 1870.

Means of the Company.

Estimating the distance to be built by the Union Pacific to be 1,565 miles, the United States Government issues it Six per cent. Thirty-year Bonds to the amount of $16,000 per mile, and takes a first mortgage of about $48,250 per mile, amounting to $11,208,000.

The Company is also permitted to issue its own First Mortgage Bonds to an equal amount, and at the same time, which *by special Act of Congress* are made a *First Mortgage on the entire line*, the bonds of the United States, *being subordinated to them.*

The Company is now constructing at the rate of 12,800 acres of land to the mile, and the whole grant is estimated to be worth $30,000,000, making the total resources, exclusive of the capital, $111,116,000, but the full value of the lands cannot now be realized.

The authorized Capital Stock of the Company is one hundred million dollars, of which five millions have already been paid in, and of which it is not supposed that more than twenty-five millions at most will be required.

The cost of the road is estimated by competent engineers to be about one hundred million dollars, exclusive of equipment.

Prospects for Business.

The railroad connection between Omaha and the East is now complete, and the earnings of the Union Pacific on the sections already finished for the month of May were $261,742. The June earnings as the road progresses will much more than pay the interest on the bonds, and the through business over the only line of railroad between the Atlantic and Pacific must be immense.

Value and Security of the Bonds.

The Company respectfully submit that the above statement of facts fully demonstrates the security of their Bonds as a safe investment, and they also suggest that the Bonds now offered are less than ten million dollars, or only $167 per mile, on which seventy million dollars have already been expended, upon $340 per mile of this road; the cars are now running, and the earnings $187 per mile monthly in operation.

At the present rate of premium on gold these Bonds pay an annual interest on the present cost of

Nine Per Cent.,

and it is believed that on the completion of the road, like the Government Bonds, they will go above par. The Company intend to offer only a limited amount at the present price, and reserve the right to withdraw the price at their option.

Subscriptions will be received in New York by the CONTINENTAL NATIONAL BANK, No. 7 Nassau St.; CLARK, DODGE & CO., Bankers, No. 51 Wall St.; JOHN J. CISCO & SON, Bankers, No. 33 Wall St.; and by FISK AND HATCH, Bankers, generally throughout the United States, of whom maps and further descriptive pamphlets may be obtained. They will also be sent by the Company, on application to the Treasurer, New York, on application. Subscribers will receive interest on their payments from the date of purchase, who cause will be responsible for them for the said delivery of the Bonds.

JOHN J. CISCO.
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SOLDIERS' MONUMENT AT UNIONTOWN.

Address of Rev. John B. Clark, D. D., late 123d Pennsylvania Vols.

Rev. Jno. B. Clark, D. D., late Colonel of the 123d Pennsylvania Volunteers, was the orator of the day, on the Fourth, on the occasion of laying the corner stone of the Soldiers' Monument in Fayette county. After a few words of a personal character, the Colonel said it was cheering to behold this sight, to witness these ceremonies. When the people amid the pressing duties of every day life, as the ripening harvest is about to call for the reaper's sickle, withdraw from toil to spend the day in honor of free and independent government, we are reminded that the fires of patriotism are still unquenched upon the altar of their hearts. When from their homes, on the hillsides and in the valleys, they come in thousands to dedicate a monument to the memory of their fallen braves, the hope is excited in every observer that no peril can arise, so great and threatening as to blot the name and fame of America. Each citizen feels the power of that sentiment breathed from the soul of Mrs. Hale,

> "My country, ay thy sons are proud,
> True heirs of freedom's glorious dower,
> For never here shas knee been bowed,
> In homage to a mortal power."

There are lands less richly blessed with the elevating power of Christian civilization and the beneficent influence of equitable laws—lands where monarchs rule and the people are but voiceless subjects, in which it is neither an honor to be born nor a pleasure to live. There is not one day in the year, the mention of which kindles any glow of enthusiasm, or whose history stirs the fountain of joy or song. But in America, where independence has been twice won, when imperilled with the mightiest combinations known to history—where we have the essence of all that is good in any government—where we have a government by the people and for the people, encouraging the industries of the poor no less than the accumulations of the rich, and where we have had ninety years' experience in national life, no man need feel ashamed to lift his face to the God of worlds, and say: "I am an American citizen." Though we cannot boast of antiquity like many of our trans-Atlantic sisters, and thus demand their respect and veneration—yet neither are withheld as they read the history of our amazing development. In some things we may not yet equal them. In some features of art and mechanical skill—in institutions of learning which are necessarily the growth of ages, they may surpass us. But in all the grand requisites to growth and material prosperity, there is not our like beyond either ocean. With every variety of climate and soil, with an abundance of all that pertains to manufacture and commerce, with no restraint imposed on the mental and religious culture of all classes, with free speech, a free press and free labor, and with a door to the highest elevation open to all, the poor as well as the rich, we stand the peer of all, the inferior of none. We have drawn the eyes of the world upon us and are attracting tens of thousands from foreign shores. These people come here because we have a land in which the brotherhood of man and the fatherhood of God are recognized; a land in which they see that the high wall of caste behind which tyranny lay encamped for two hundred years, has been breached and almost leveled in ruins. They come to us because ours is truly "the land of the free and the home of the brave." Some I know are vexed with their coming, and were it possible would shut our ports against every poor foreigner seeking a home among us. But much as I dislike the religion and political tendencies of the mass of them, I would do no violence to freedom in its broadest sense. Some of our most gifted statesmen, most ready orators, pro-perous manufacturers and merchants, and most skillful farmers, are either foreign born or the descendants of such. Without this emigration our internal improvements—those mighty thoroughfares which now extend almost from ocean to ocean, and reach out their arms to every city and town, could not have been constructed. My doctrine is, let all come who will. Thousands of them cheerfully entered your army and fought bravely when your country was in peril. Their posterity will grow up true and patriotic Americans, with hearts to love and arms to fight for its star spangled flag, no matter who rises against it.

I believe in a free ballot as much as in any other part pertaining to the theory of free government. I believe that every citizen, white or black, male or female, of proper age and qualification, should be allowed to vote. I cannot see any sound logic in that political philosophy which excludes all females from the right of suffrage. In view of the educational and other advantages enjoyed by them in the present age —in view of their admitted mental and moral equality with man—in view of the fact that woman is doing so much for the common education of the masses, that in our public schools she is doing so much for the intelligence and consequent perpetuity of the nation, and in view of the fact that she is held as strictly amenable to law as man, and that her possessions are taxed as men's are, I can see no good reason for shutting against her this avenue of power. If, as all admit, her services are indispensable as a public instructor, as a nurse in the hospital or as an agent of benevolent enterprises in the church, why not in political action which exerts tremendous power over the destiny of this country? Is there anything indelicate or unwomanly in her quietly going to the ballot-box? Need there be any more exposure there than when she teaches in the school room or conducts an examination of pupils in the presence of hundreds? She need not accept office—she need not wade in the mire of a political caucus or nominating convention unless she desires to do so. She need not unwoman herself and become a man in order to be a full citizen of the Republic. I know this doctrine is unpopular now—that men shout out their ire at the mention of female suffrage. But, fellow citizens, when a jealous heart gives man pouting lips he is very like the Irishman's beauty who, having devoured a large jar of pickles and drunk the vinegar, complained of a slight sourness of stomach. Under the teaching of the pulpit, the press and the rostrum—under the expanding influence of free government which has at last touched the heart chords of the most lowly in this land and made them vibrate to the airs of freedom, the banner inscribed with *universal suffrage* is destined to wave in glorious triumph. All the cowardice or opposition of political parties can't prevent it. If the Bard of Scotland could long ago sing, "A man's a man for a' that," some modern poet will soon write of females at the ballot-box, "A woman's a man for a that." It is generally conceded that her influence is elevating and purifying, and surely if anything out of perdition needs purifying it is American politics. And just think of the exquisite delight which will be afforded anybody to candidates for office in electioneering among the fair daughters of Adam. The thought of it will be enough to sweeten the cup of defeat and to secure faithful attention to the maxim set for the years of childhood, "try, try again." I suspect that the drawing force of the political whirlpool would become so irresistible that scarcely an old bachelor in Fayette could keep out of it.

In the advocacy of this progressive sentiment that suffrage should be universal, portions of the aristocracy who have only learned to compute men and things by dollars and cents, may pronounce us crazy, fanatical. But so, if truth is stamped with the image of divinity be in our cause it will surely light us to victory. We live in an age of democratic equality, and no combination has ever yet been able to stand against the age. The man or party of men who launch a sound argument, who set a great fact on two feet and bid it travel from Maine to Georgia, are as certain to change public sentiment as they would be to destroy your home by igniting a barrel of gunpowder in the middle of it. Intellectual movement of the masses is slow. Under the ordinary education of governments the people reach conclusions on questions of reform *gradually* as the sun reaches his meridian. But so sure as the cause is based on the immutability of truth, and upon it the anointing of liberty, in spite of all effeminate christianity and hindering prejudice it will be successful. Behold Wilberforce and Clarkson the honored champions of universal freedom in Britain. Before they triumphed—before the galling chains were struck from every limb, they had to vanquish the moneyed power of England and overcome opposition. Year after year of patient toil passed before the desire was accomplished. But the moment these champions got control of public opinion, through the Press, through the men, women and children of the great class, the question was settled. Just so in America, this great cause of universal suffrage which has followed on the heels of universal freedom, can only present to-day to its opponents a scattered skirmish line, but as the contest deepens, it will be backed by a host which will sweep down every vestige of opposition. Where now are the haughty tyrants who ten years ago and less, scouted the idea of freedom to the negro? Many of them are fugitives in the same Canada whither their darkies used to flee, while all of them have been crushed because they stood before the advancing car of freedom.

God be praised! the age of individual despotism is passed. It is not in the power of one man to ruin our country or to build effectually against the tide of freedom which comes rushing . . . from twenty millions of human hearts. It is mightier than the throne of Andrew Johnson—resistless as the sweep of Niagara. The thoughts already launched upon the public mind will be as the thunders of another Sinai, polished from the steps of another St. Roche, splitting asunder the highest peaks of prejudice and sounding the knell of false opinion. One has well said, "we may never look for so grand a day as when the people, the sovereign people of a nation can be so quiet and safe as to demand no reform. If in such a state, the shrouding mists of Despotism would steal over the mirror of freedom. A thousand years ago, the Dutch built their bulwarks of willow and mud against the ocean. But did they feel at rest when that was done? No, for each succeeding year the industrious peasant put a portion of his time from the cultivation of the soil to repair the breaks and replace the willow that the insect had eaten, that he might keep the land rescued by his labors, and bid defiance to the waters that roar above his head. Agitation on all questions of public policy is not only the life of republics, but tends to broaden and deepen the roots of liberty. There is in all governments a principle to become corrupt which can only be arrested by free discussion. And it is by no means the meanest glory of this country that men are permitted to think, speak and act in accordance with personal convictions. Our rights and people are mutual safeguards to each other, and when the former decree any course of policy unfriendly to the highest interests of the latter, they have the power to correct the evil. That power in America is wielded through agitation. The emblem of despotism is the Alps piled in cold and still sublimity, but ours is that ever restless ocean, which, girt within the eternal laws of gravitation, is pure only because it is never still. When men forget Providence and indulge in abstractions, they regard them the types of revolution in sentiment or for the overthrow of received forms and systems as dangerous and fearful. But, fellow citizens, aside from the innate power of truth, the world has never had an instrument of progress so mighty as conflict. It was this that drove the British lion beyond the Atlantic and planted these States under the flag of independence. It was this that during the war, sounded the trump of freedom in the ears of four million slaves, shaking with its blast the very thrones of Europe. Our national danger lies not in its President or its Cabinet, but in the silence of the pulpit and the press. Let these speak freely from day to day, and from week to week, and though it be a discordant voice, safety and progress are sure. The friction of debate will wear the rust from the governmental machinery as the winds of heaven drive stagnation from the pool.

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All things considered, I feel quite well satisfied with the direction of affairs since the work of reconstruction commenced. I had hoped that at this day we would have been able to point to at least one instance in which the severe sentence pronounced by the Constitution against treason had been executed. I felt that in deference to the wisdom of the fathers—in justice to the memory of those heroes who laid down their lives for the nation and as faithful conservators of the peace and prosperity of coming generations, we ought to make treason odious and from the scaffold issue a warning to deter from the repetition of such a hellish offense. But it seems to have been otherwise decreed, and I cheerfully bow in submission to the will of a majority of my countrymen. It is an act of magnanimity unequalled in history. It is a display of leniency which I am not sure has its counterpart in the divinity of the world. But however this may be, let us like sane men and not political bigots to whom God might as well have given only one eye for they never see with two; let us, like true lovers of our country who have patiently endured peril and expenditure, persistently demand that a second marriage between the North and the South shall not occur except on the broad basis of freedom and equal rights to all, black or white, male or female. The best way to prevent future divorcement is to clearly settle the conditions now. It is far better to contend during the courtship than have a brawl in the house after the nuptials are past. Since I am pleased that the readmission of the South has been delayed. Haste might have been our ruin. It might have given rise to another convulsion sufficient in force to hopelessly rend our ship of State to atoms. Though we move slowly, we are moving surely. It is not a death march to the grave, but the firm tread of veterans determined to make security doubly sure. Well did Byron say, "Ah! to be feared where all is to be lost." We pivot our hope for the future on the caution and wisdom of the present. Decker says:

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Fellow-citizens, let us with one voice speak the dark night which has menaced our nation's life, into an eternal retirement. Let our motto ever be, "The Union of these States must and shall be preserved." Set as we are upon a hill to send this continent with light, and to send its rays over the uttermost isles, let us all live so loyal to the flag that the winds which waft our commerce beyond the seas shall no more hear one whisper of discontent from either North or South. Shall this Anak Republic, the queen of the new world, with its red baptism of steel and fire—shall this Union, consecrated by so many saintly memories and cemented by so many rivers of blood, ever again feel the palsying touch of treason? Heaven forbid it! Methinks I hear a thundering amen uttered from every American heart to the vow which you made at yonder spot, consecrated this day to the memory of your heroic sons, that the Union shall live and her soldiers shall never be forgot. Glimpses of glory flash upon my dazzled vision, as I look upon this mighty throng, and lifting the curtain of the future, gaze down through the long vista which is before us. Nothing can arise to blight the vision of the seer, or to cast one dark shadow over the prospect, except political fanaticism. But this gives me no alarm. The wounding inflicted by that addressing in the past will prevent the eye of vigilance from closing in the future. Meteors may leave their place and shoot in blinding glory athwart the heavens, to be known no more, but from our national galaxy no star shall ever perish. Each shall glitter in his place until the world rejoices in the light of universal freedom! So said the fathers of the revolution —so said the half-million of braves who sleep in their peaceful graves in the bosom of every state, and so say you all, whether adopted or native born. The Great American Republic, the Queen among the nations, our own, our native land, her life shall be guarded as the vital fire of God as the breath of God, and glorious in its last moments as the setting sun!

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CITY MATTERS.

SOLDIERS' LEAGUE.—A regular meeting of the League will be held to night at their hall, No. 79 Federal street, Allegheny.

TAKEN OVER.—Sheriff Cluley conveyed to the Western Penitentiary, in Allegheny, Maria Thompson, convicted of larceny, and sentenced to two years imprisonment in that institution.

A NEW ENGINE.—Engine No. 7 came over the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad on its first trip, yesterday. It was made at the Connellsville car shops, and is the first ever made at that place.

ALLEGHENY FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.—The work on the Fire Alarm Telegraph in Allegheny has been nearly completed. The boxes have all been put up, and as soon as the Repeater arrives, which is expected daily, a trial of the telegraph will be made.

COLORED PICNIC.—The colored people of Manchester and vicinity held a picnic yesterday. Several members of the party who were coming over on a car last evening appeared to be considerably under the influence of lager beer.

THE MUZZLING OF DOGS.—Mayor McCarthy is about issuing a proclamation ordering all owners of dogs to provide their animals with muzzles. In a few days the policemen will doubtless be on the lookout for all dogs with open mouths.

THE TWENTY-INCH GUN.—The last 20-inch gun cast at the Fort Pitt Foundry is still in the lathe, where it has been for the past two months. It will be finished in the course of two or three weeks, and conveyed to the proving ground, where it will be tested.

THE FREEDMEN.—The Presbyterian General Assembly's Committee on Freedmen will hold its meetings for the election of officers for the current year on Thursday next, 11th of July, 1867, at 2 P. M. in the rooms of Committee, corner Third and Market streets, this city.

LEFT FOR THE WEST.—The Committee from Councils appointed to visit Chicago and St. Louis, to inspect the Nicholson pavement, left the city yesterday afternoon, at two o'clock, by way of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway.

CONCERT THIS EVENING.—A grand vocal concert will be given by a select choir under the direction of Prof. W. A. Lawton, at the M. E. Church, in Temperanceville, this evening, for the benefit of Mr. Sandy Ledger, of the 7th. An excellent musical talent has been engaged, and an admirable entertainment may be expected.

THE BALDWIN HOMICIDE.—Deputy Mayor Owston yesterday lodged a commitment for trial against John Clark, charged, on information of Chief of Police Scott, with the murder of Henry Dowell on Saturday last, by striking him with a "handy billy." There is no clue yet to Mayhew, the other party supposed to be connected with the murder.

DISAPPEARED.—John Abernathy, a ship carpenter by trade, left his home on Wednesday, 26th ult., to obtain employment, stating that he would be back in the evening. He has not since been seen or heard of. Anything in regard to his whereabouts would be thankfully received by his distressed wife, who resides on Carroll street, in the Second Ward, Allegheny.

MACHINERY FOR A NEW ROLLING MILL.—The heavy machinery for a new rolling mill, which is being built by Dewey, Vance & Co., of Wheeling, has just been completed at the Fort Pitt Foundry, and a portion of it has been shipped by rail. The engine is thirty inches in diameter and six feet stroke. The fly-wheel is twenty feet in diameter. The building of a new rolling mill of this size, by private firms, would seem to indicate that the iron business must be good in Wheeling.

FELONIOUS ASSAULT IN BIRMINGHAM.—A man named John Burke *alias* Jac Burke, was arrested yesterday by officer Joseph Slatter, and taken before Justice Ammon, of East Birmingham, on an information lodged against him by officer G. F. Fogle, of Birmingham, charging him with assault and battery with intent to kill. The prosecutor alleges that the defendant entered a beer saloon in Birmingham, and assaulted the proprietor, hurling a beer glass at him and striking him on the head. The saloon keeper was very seriously injured, and the injury might possibly prove fatal. After a hearing Burke was committed to the county jail for trial, in default of three thousand dollars bail.

Boy Drowned in the Ohio River.

Benton R. Temple, aged thirteen years, son of Wm. Temple, of the Fifth ward, Allegheny City (Manchester), was drowned in the Ohio river, about five o'clock on Sunday evening, it appears that he was bathing in the river, in company with several companions, near Brunot's Island, and was trying to swim from the Manchester shore to the bar on the Island. When about half the distance over, he appeared to be taken with cramps, and disappeared from view. Search was made for his body but it could not be found. Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock a man who was out with a skiff fishing discovered the body floating in the river about one and a half miles below the place where he boy was drowned. He brought it to Manchester in his skiff. The deceased resided with his brother-in-law, John Pace, on Sheffield street, Manchester, where the funeral will be held today at ten o'clock.

The Fourth at Fayette Springs.

A croquet party composed of ladies and gentlemen from McKeesport, visited the popular hotel of Mr. Wiggins, at Fayette Springs, on Thursday last, and appropriately observed the national holiday in various pastimes, returning highly delighted with their trip on the 5th. There are a large number of guests at the Springs from Pittsburgh and other towns, and all seem delighted with the entertainment furnished at the Wiggins Hotel. Our McKeesport party were handsomely entertained by Mr. Wiggins and so much solid enjoyment was crowded into the few hours of their stay that they scarcely realized the brevity of their visit, and are unbounded in their praises of the proprietor of Mr. W. and his hotel. The *cuisine* of the establishment was superior to that most frequently to be found at hotels, while an air of neatness and appearance of cleanliness pervaded every department. Billiard tables, ten pin alleys and other sources of amusement are provided for guests, while the drives in the locality over the National Road, and the surpassingly beautiful mountain scenery in the neighborhood, renders a season at the Fayette Springs one continuous period of enjoyment. The contiguity of the Springs should make them a favorite resort for the business men of Pittsburgh during the summer season.

Stabbing Affray at the Union Depot.

A serious stabbing affray occurred in a sleeping car at the Union Depot, on Sunday morning, about two o'clock. Two young men named Johnson and Monagan had been drinking together on Saturday night, and came to the Depot, considerably under the influence of liquor, to stay until morning. Johnson was formerly a news agent on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and resides in this city. Monagan is employed as porter on a sleeping car on the same road. When they came to the Depot, Lacey sent into a sleeping car to go to bed. They got into a dispute about a slight matter, which ended in a quarrel, during which Johnson, it is alleged, drew a knife and stabbed Monagan on the head with it three times, and also once or twice across the breast. The injuries are very severe and painful, but it is thought they are not dangerous. After receiving the wounds, Monagan made an outcry, which brought immediate assistance, but Johnson, after committing the crime, had taken to his heels and escaped. He has not been seen since. Monagan's wounds were dressed by a physician, and he was taken on the evening train to Harrisburg, where he lives.

RELIGIOUS INTELLIGENCE.

The Centenary Methodist Episcopal Church, situated on the corner of Duncan and Kirkpatrick streets, in the Seventh ward, will be dedicated on Sabbath next, 14th inst.

Excelsior Hall, on the corner of Federal and Lacock streets, Allegheny, has been secured for a time, for the use of those colored people who may have been connected with Presbyterian churches, or whose preferences may be in that direction. Service will be held in the hall every Sabbath.

A number of the pastors of the different denominations of churches in this city and Allegheny, will leave the city for the summer months. Most of the pulpits will be filled during their absence.

A collection for the Freedmen will be taken up in the various Presbyterian churches in this vicinity, which have not taken up a collection during the past year, on next Sabbath.

Mr. Hervey B. Knight, of the last Senior Class in the Western Theological Seminary, has accepted an invitation to supply the Presbyterian churches of West Point and Pilot Grove, Iowa.

Mr. W. H. Gill, of the last Graduating Class of the Western Theological Seminary, Allegheny, was ordained and installed as pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Greensburg, on the 26th ult.

Rev. J. H. Vincent, who recently held the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School Institute in this city, will hold an Institute at New Castle, on Friday next, the 12th inst.

The (Old School) Presbyterian Presbytery of Beaver, at their recent meeting, received the Free Presbyterian Church of Clarksville, and its pastor, Rev. J. W. Torrance, under its care.

The Rev. David Hall, of Brady's Bend, has accepted a call to the Presbyterian Church of Mansfield, Ohio.

On the 24th ult., the day after the communion service, the Rev. Dr. Stockton preached a sermon on the fortieth anniversary of his settlement as pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Cross Creek, Pa.

Some forty accessions have recently been made to the Williamsfield M. E. Church. The congregation have favored the pastor, Rev. J. Z. Goodrich, with gifts amounting to one hundred and fifty dollars.

BASE BALL.

GAME ON THE MOUNTAINS.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

ALTOONA, PA., July 4, 1867.

A return match game of Base Ball was played here to-day between the Mountaineer Club, of Ebensburg, Pa., and the Mountain Club, of this place, which resulted in favor of the former, by the following score:

MOUNTAINEER.	O.	R.	MOUNTAIN.	O.	R.
C. Roberts, 1st b.	3	3	Caldwell, c.	7	2
F. H. Barker, c. f.	5	5	Galbraith, p.	3	3
A. V. Jones, r. f.	1	1	Milliken, 1st b.	3	3
Dunnegan, 3d b.	1	2	McDonald, c. f.	4	0
J. Hutchinson, 2d b.	6	2	Hinks, s. s.	2	2
Robinson, ss.	5	3	Worrel, p.	1	2
Darragh, c. f.	2	1	Howe, 2d b.	2	2
Joseph Biggs, l. f.	2	2	Snyder, l. f.	3	4
W. O'Leary, c.	1	1	Marshall, p.	4	2
A. Elliott, r. f.	3	4	H. Dickson, c. f.	3	2
Total.	28	24	Total.	27	24

INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total.
Mountaineer	2	0	4	1	1	2	10	0	1	24
Mountain	2	0	0	2	1	0	10	0	1	24

Fly catches—Mountaineer, 12; Mountain, 8. Time of game, 3½ hours. Umpire, L. Myers, of Mountaineer. Scorers—John Holliday, Mountaineer; Sager Erb, Mountain. J. R. S.

Lewis Rodgers, Mountain, 4; Aaron, 4.

GAME AT AARON.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

AARON, PA., July 6, 1867.

The second match game of Base Ball between the "Qui vive" Club, of Sharon, and the "Star" Club, of Mercer, Pa., was played on the grounds of the former club at Sharon, on the 5th inst., resulting in a victory for the Qui Vive. A large number of spectators witnessed the game, which was well contested, and proved very exciting throughout. I append the score:

QUI VIVE.	O.	R.	STAR.	O.	R.
Dan. Williams, c.	3	3	A. Barrell, c.	3	4
J. Marshall, p.	3	2	T. Connelly, p.	3	3
H. Wilson, s. s.	3	3	H. Leavitt, s. s.	3	3
Geo. Williams, 1st b.	3	4	S. Rodgers, 1st b.	3	4
Jno. Welsh, 2d b.	3	3	W. Findley, 2d b.	3	2
R. Carlin, 3d b.	3	2	J. Wilson, 3d b.	3	2
E. G. Mixer, r. f.	3	2	J. Tanner, r. f.	3	2
Jno. Welsh, c. f.	3	2	J. Wilson, l. f.	3	0
J. Carley, r. f.	3	2	McKean, r. f.	3	2
Total.	27	25	Total.	27	26

INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total.
Star	0	0	0	0	4	5	0	2	0	11
Qui Vive	0	6	1	0	0	7	8	2	1	25

Fly catches—D. Williams, 1; J. Marshall, 1; T. Williams, 1; J. Welsh, 1; R. Clark, 1; E. G. Mixer, 1; Welsh, c. f., 1; A. Barrell, 1; T. Connelly, 1; H. Rodgers, 1; Leavitt, 1; Hogg, 1; Connelly, 1. Total, 10. Star, 11. Passed balls—Qui Vive, 7; Star, 5. Umpire—A. A. Ashton. Scorers—T. H. Porter and M. Zeminzer.

MATCH GAME AT WHEELING.

A match game of ball was played between the "Unknown Club" of Canonsburg, and the "Independent Club" of Wheeling, on the grounds of the latter, on the Fourth of July. The following is the score:

	R.		R.
Sproul, c.	5	Hornbrook, c.	7
Riddle, p.	3	Johnson, 1st.	3
Marshall, 1st b.	3	Mollan, 2d.	3
Wilson, 2d b.	3	Tassy, 3d.	1
Mahon, 3d b.	3	Mackey, s. s.	3
Wilson, jr.	4	Bates, l. f.	1
Hall, r. f.	2	Bell, r. f.	1
McCarrell, c. f.	2	Ackley, c. f.	3
Herbert, l. f.	1	Lucas, 3d b.	1
Total.	26	Total.	26

INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total.
Peerless	2	0	4	2	0	2	7	4	1	24
National	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4

Umpire—B. F. Moore, of National.

Scorers—A. B. Logan, Peerless; L. D. Durban, National.

Peerless—Passed balls 10. Fly Catches—Hearty, 3; Riddle, 1; Marshall, 1; Fly Catches—Smith 1; McGaughan 1; Crawford 1; Stephen Marshall 1; Curry 1; Dr. Mowry 1; Donald 1; Hamilton 1; Sweeny 1; Barber 1; Stephen Marshall 1; S. Marshall 1; Dickson 1. Fly Catches, 3. Missed Flies 3.

The Peerless boys were kindly treated by not only the Nationals, but the people generally of New Castle. At the close of the game the cheering for both clubs was hearty and long. The supper furnished by the Nationals at the Leslie was one of their best and relished by all.

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MATCH IN BEAVER COUNTY.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

BRIDGEWATER, PA., July 8, 1867.

A match game of Base Ball was played between the Energetic, of Bridgewater, and the Peerless, of Sharon, Beaver county, on the grounds of the latter, last Saturday, resulting in the defeat of the Peerless boys by one run. The following is the score:

ENERGETIC.	O.	R.	PEERLESS.	O.	R.
McDonald, p.	6	6	Fry, p.	6	3
Hoffman, c.	5	3	Harris, c.	5	3
Barnes, 1st b.	4	5	Sloan, 2d b.	4	3
Hemphill, 2d b.	4	3	Thompson, 1st b.	2	2
Moore, 3d b.	3	3	Hall, 3d b.	3	3
Blake, l. f.	3	3	Wilson, l. f.	3	3
Moorhead, r. f.	3	3	Hall, r. f.	3	3
Brown, r. f.	1	1	Kennedy, r. f.	1	1
Total.	27	27	Total.	27	26

Fly Catches—Energetic, 10; Peerless, 6; missed Flies—Energetic, 2; Peerless, 3.

Umpire—C. Campbell, of Rochester. B. B. club, Scorers—W. Blaine, for Energetic; H. C. Darragh for Peerless.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

CRIMINAL COURT.—Court met at the usual hour yesterday morning, Judges Mellon and Stowe on the bench.

91—The case of Thomas Hallowell charged with adultery, upon the oath of his son Ernest A. Hallowell, was taken up, District Attorney Duff appearing for the prosecutor. The defendant, Mr. Hallowell, conducted the case upon the part of the defense. It will be remembered that there were several hearings in the case at the office of Alderman Strain, a few weeks ago, at the time the information was made. The prosecutor, young Hallowell, a boy only sixteen or seventeen years of age, was the chief witness. He testified positively to the fact that his father had a wife in England, and had been living in criminal intimacy with his house keeper, Miss Sarah Hewitt, at their residence on Center avenue. The jury rendered a verdict of not guilty.

Immediately after the rendering of the verdict, the District Attorney by order of the Court entered a *nol. pros.* in the case of Sarah Hewitt charged on oath of the same prosecutor with fornication.

Samuel Boyd the alleged father of the child of Ruth Ann Grubbs plead guilty to the charge of fornication and bastardy, was sentenced to pay a fine of fifty dollars and costs.

Ruth Ann Grubbs, of Allegheny City, indicted for infanticide, was next placed on trial.

Dr. D. N. Rankin, of Allegheny City, was the first witness sworn, and stated that he attended the prisoner at her residence on Martin street, Wednesday evening, the 24th of April, last, shortly after the alleged crime was committed. He also related the circumstances attending the finding of the body of the child in the cess pool. Several other witnesses were examined, and the evidence thus far is similar to that given before the Coroner's Jury at the time the inquest was held upon the body of the child. The case is still on trial.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT—BANKRUPTCY BRANCH.—All orders in cases on file will be made at Erie, Pa., until the middle of this week. The business of this court will most likely be limited to the bankruptcy branch, until the jury trials commence in August.

The court now in session at Erie, Judge McCandless presiding, adjourned over for the Fourth, at which time the case of George Zuver, indicted for passing the much hundred dollar compound interest note, was on trial. The case was resumed on Friday, and is still on trial.

The Grand Jurors in attendance were discharged on Friday, having transacted all the business brought before them.

The Erie *Dispatch* says that immediately after the dismissal of the Grand Jury, Judge McCandless announced that on his return to Pittsburgh he would have rules in bankruptcy published for the benefit of Registers and members of the bar in this district. In the meantime voluntary petitions should be filed with the Register for the proper district, who would examine them, and found correct in form would forward to the Clerk at Pittsburgh, together with a certificate to that effect. At the same time, the petitioners should file with the Register a copy of the petition. The order of reference will then issue in accordance with the "general orders." In cases of voluntary bankruptcy, the "deposition as to petitioning creditor's claims," and the "deposition of witness to act of bankruptcy," must be filed with the petition. In all cases the fifty dollars required by the act must be deposited with the Register or Clerk. If with the Register, he could mail a memorandum to that effect to the Clerk. The records in bankruptcy will be kept at Pittsburgh.

MEETING OF BRICKLAYERS.—In accordance with a call issued several days since, the bricklayers of Allegheny City and vicinity held a public meeting in the hall, No. 78 Diamond, last evening. About fifty persons were in attendance and considerable interest was manifested. The object of the meeting was to organize a Union auxiliary to the one on this side of the river. The constitution and by-laws of the bricklayer's Union No. 2, of Pennsylvania, Jackson read, and approved by those present as the proper basis for an organization. After the transaction of some unimportant miscellaneous business the meeting adjourned. We understand it is the intention of the bricklayers to secure the hall where the meeting was held last evening for the coming year.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—A little girl aged ten years, named Hock, met with a painful accident at Keeling & Co.'s Coal Works, on Denman street, Birmingham, yesterday afternoon. It appears that she was on the inclined plane picking up coal, and when about one-third way up, she was caught by a coal car, which ran over her foot, smashing her toes and lacerating the foot along the instep. She was taken to her home, when it was found necessary to amputate four of the toes, the operation being performed by Dr. Miller. The little girl had been warned off the track before the accident occurred, but persisted in staying.

Ratification Mass Meeting.

The Committee of Arrangements for the Union Republican Mass Meeting, to ratify the nomination of Judge Williams for Supreme Judge, have resolved that the meeting be held on Tuesday, the 16th inst., at 7½ o'clock, P. M., at City Hall. The following committees were appointed:

On Place—S. B. Cluley, W. C. Moreland, G. M. Irwin.

On Music—W. W. Ward, J. Gangwisch, H. P. Mueller.

On Organization—Hon. P. C. Shannon, F. H. Collier, W. Acheson, Dr. F. Tandte, George Cooley.

On Resolutions—R. B. Carnahan, Russell Gurley, S. H. Gever, Thomas Howard, Charles Hartman, B. F. Lucas, C. E. Sioeum.

On Speakers—B. F. Lucas, C. C. Smith, G. Wiltach, W. C. Moreland, C. B. M. Smith.

ATTEMPTED OUTRAGE IN ALLEGHENY.—On Saturday night about eleven o'clock, a widow lady residing on Sampson street, Allegheny, while going up Federal street on her way home, was assaulted by a ruffian, who gagged her, and dragged her into an alley. He then knocked her down and attempted other indignities, but was prevented from doing so by her screams, which attracted to the spot a number of the neighbors, when the villain fled. He was pursued through streets and alleys for several squares by an excited crowd of citizens, but he finally escaped. During the chase a pistol shot was fired at him by one of the crowd, which missed him and grazed the head of a lady named Mrs. Fleckner, who was passing along the street, but fortunately did not injure her.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

[Before Mayor McCartney.]

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

Barney Logue, who resides in the locality known as "Bed Bug Row," on Penn street, above Morris, in the Ninth ward, made information, charging that John and Hugh Frew had committed a violent assault upon him, a few evenings since, when he and a neighbor, named John O'Neil, were carrying a gallon of lager into Logue's house. The next evening he alleges the two Frews returned, this time assaulting the opponent and his companion with a poker. The defendants were held in the sum of three hundred dollars to answer the charge at Court.

WIFE BEATING.

On Sunday evening a little boy came to the office of the Mayor and in an excited manner stated that a man named Michael Sarazen, residing on Third street, was beating his wife terribly. The police officers visited the place and found Sarazen on the roof of his house, where he had perched himself for safety upon seeing the policeman. He was, however, induced to come down, and the officers conveyed him to the lock-up. Yesterday morning he was fined five and costs, by Mayor McCarthy, before a hearing she was committed to jail for thirty days.

ALLEGED DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

Richard P. Parr made an information against John Gray, charging him with keeping a disorderly house. The defendant keeps a beer store and beer hall combined, on Rebecca street, in the First Ward, Allegheny, and is charged with maintaining a house where disorderly persons congregate. He was arrested by officers Cupples and Dreshe, and had a hearing before the Mayor this morning. There was no ground whatever for the charge, and the case was discharged. The prosecutor being required to pay the costs.

AN ALLEGHENY WIFE BEATER.

John Leiser was arrested last evening by officer Cupples on two charges—one for assault and battery, preferred by his wife, Sophia Leiser, and the other by a party of the peace, preferred by his step-daughter, Christiana Hoffman. The parties live on Ohio street, Mr. Ross, but have not been living together for some months past. The defendant has appeared his wife in the face, but excused himself on the ground that she had struck him with another man some time past. He was held for a hearing this morning.

[Before Alderman Muller, of Allegheny.]

Alderman D. M. Mullin, of the Fourth Ward, Allegheny, has removed his office to East Lane, second door below Ohio street, where he is prepared to transact all business appertaining to his office.

DISTURBANCE AT A PICNIC.

There yesterday appeared before him one Adam Miller, who preferred a charge of aggravated assault and battery against Henry Mendel and John Mendel. The complainant resides in Reserve township, Allegheny, states that he attended a picnic on Spring Hill, on the Fourth of July, in company with his wife, when he was wantonly assaulted by the defendants one of whom threw a bottle of glass, striking and injuring him quite severely, while the other struck him with a club. The defendants were arrested, but before the time appointed for a hearing came it was amicably compromised.

A WIFE ASSAULTS HER HUSBAND.

George Stuckwish lodged an information for assault and battery against his wife, Mrs. Philomena Stuckwish. The husband alleges that on Saturday last his wife assaulted him in the kitchen, seized him by the hair, and struck at him several times with a stone. The defendant consented to prosecute his wife, and withdrew the charge, and paid the costs, after the Alderman had gently reprimanded both.

BREACH OF THE PEACE.

George Danger, a resident of this city, was arrested on a charge of breach of the peace, preferred by Joseph Lamb, residing on Ohio street, Allegheny. Deponent alleges that on Saturday night, during his absence, defendant entered his house and assaulted his wife, using the most abusive language, hammering on the table and window, and frightening the family generally. After considerable parleying, Danger was held to bail for a further hearing.

[Before Alderman Taylor.]

ASSAULT IN THE FIFTH WARD.

A German named Peter Muller appeared before this Alderman, and lodged complaint against Alphonse Burkhardt and Charles Burkhardt, charging them with assault and battery. He alleges that the accused attacked him in the Fifth Ward, on Saturday, and beat and kicked him severely. The defendants were arrested, and held to bail for their appearance at Court, in default of bail.

[Before Alderman Strain.]

BREACHES OF THE PEACE.

Four informations for breach of the peace were made before this magistrate yesterday. Daniel Danks, a resident of Birmingham, made oath and alleged that one Frederick Ambruster came into his store yesterday morning, drew from his pocket a revolver and pointed it at deponent, threatening to shoot him. The accused was arrested, and had a hearing, which resulted in his committal to jail for trial, in default of five hundred dollars bail.

Robert Quinn made information that Bridget threatened to break open the head of one Jane Lee. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Guthrie, who lives at McKee's Rocks.

Ellen McNally charges Catharine Donahue with using foul, obscene and abusive language toward her, and raising a disturbance in the neighborhood. They both live in Birmingham. A warrant was issued.

Mary Burke, an inmate of defendant's Court, in the Tenth ward, was accused of having made threats that she would shoot Michael Kennedy's brains. She has not yet been arrested.

[Before Alderman Lynch.]

TWO CHARGES.

Robert Hayes was arrested yesterday on two charges, preferred by Michael Gritty, for assault and battery and surety of the peace. The parties live in Spring alley, in the Ninth ward, and the prosecutor alleges that on Friday last the defendant struck him on the nose, and threatened his life. He was held to bail in the sum of three hundred dollars.

[Before Alderman McMasters.]

THEFT AND SURETY.

Reuben Lynch appeared yesterday at the office of this Alderman, and made oath against Thomas Martin, for libel and surety of the peace. The prosecutrix alleges that on Friday last the defendant did report, circulate and publish that she (Lynch) was deficiency to the character of deponent, and subjected her to public contempt and scorn. The defendant was also charged with having threatened to do deponent bodily harm. The accused was arrested, and after a hearing, was held to bail for trial on both charges.

DISCHARGED.

Roger Sweeney, who was sentenced to twenty days imprisonment in Jail and to pay a fine of twenty dollars, for illegal liquor selling, having served his term of imprisonment, paid the costs yesterday and was discharged.

Physical Prostration.

This is a condition, not a disease, frequently incident to this season of the year, perfectly remediable;—not by taking powerful stimulants, pleasant bitters and those hopspices and condiments which engender bile and set fire to the nervous system. The most that is needed to restore health, in fact all that is necessary for the treatment of this malady, if malady it can be called, is rest—perfect rest, with food capable of supporting nature in the reparative process,—is everything that is absolutely necessary. What will do good and assist nature more than anything else that we know of, is DR. KEYSER'S BLOOD SEARCHER, which will gently aid the stomach and other reparative and supplying organs in rebuilding the crumbling organism. Ask for Dr. Keyser's, 140 Wood street; and take no other. *Dr. Keyser's consultation rooms for all chronic diseases, 120 Penn street, from 9 A. M., until 4 P. M.*

The Interest of Many.

From Esquire A. B. Stevenson, Magistrate of Hollidaysburg.

TO THE PUBLIC.—I certify that I had been severely afflicted for years with Catarrh of the Head, Bronchitis, Heaviness in the Chest, and Impaired Hearing. In this deplorable state I was providentially induced to apply to Dr. Aborn, at 134 Smithfield street. In ten days after commencing his treatment, I am most happy to acknowledge that I have almost entirely recovered from every symptom from which I had so long suffered. My hearing also is almost entirely restored to its original acuteness as the fruit of his skilled and scientific treatment. A. B. STEVENSON.

July 5, 1867.

PARIS EXPOSITION, 1867, awards to Sewing Machine: Empire—honorable mention; A. B. Howe—bronze medal; Weed & Florence—silver medal; Wheeler & Wilson—gold medal: The Howe—gold medal, its worth, silver medalist, and its inventor and proprietor created Knight of the Legion of Honor. Classes: 1st, The Howe; 2d, Wheeler & Wilson; 3d, Weed & Florence; 4th, A. B. Howe; 5th, Empire; none others noticed.

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THE DISEASE OF AMERICA.—Dyspepsia is said to be the disease of America. Its victims may be found in all stations of life. The poor as well as the rich are sufferers from its life-destroying influence. The symptoms of this disease vary greatly in the different stages of the complaint. It generally commences with a sensation of fullness after eating, and a changeable, diminished, or lost appetite. In some instances the appetite is voracious, and when—in obedience to its promptings—a large portion of food is taken into the stomach, pain follows in that region, with general distress, nervousness and nausea. Flatulency and heart-burn invariably attend this disease. For all these symptoms HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS will be found an invaluable household remedy, as its alterative, corrective and restorative properties are derived exclusively from roots and plants, the virtues of which are acknowledged by pharmaceutics and physicians. Separately they have often been prescribed by the profession, but were never combined until Dr. Hostetter gave to the world his HEALTH-RESTORING BITTERS, which have proved a sovereign remedy for dyspepsia and its attendant evils.

METAL MARKETS.

NEW YORK.

The *Iron Age* says: Scotch pig iron is exceedingly dull, and sales very small. American, although not receding in price, is in very small demand. English bars, both for store and ship, are almost stagnant. The Russian posts having been opened much later than usual this year, shipments have not come forward as early as usual. A portion of Russia sheet has been sold at 13c. gold.

Copper—Remains without change.

Bar Iron—Quiet.

Pig Iron—Dull, but with a very noticeable buoyancy in the market.

Rails—Firm at $66@67, city delivery.

Lead—Quiet at 9@9½c ex store. Spelter firm at 8@8½c.

Tin—Very firm and in demand at 39@40c for straits.

PHILADELPHIA.

In pig metal, says the *Bulletin*, there is very little doing, but prices are well maintained; 200 tons of No. 1 anthracite sold at $41 @ ton; No. 2 at $38@42, and grey forge at $35@38. Scotch pig is quoted at $41 @ $43. Manufactured iron is firmly held, but the demand is limited.

BOSTON.

The market for Pig Iron is quiet but firm at previous rates, says the *Bulletin*. The continuing fine weather is against any improvement in sight, and sales mostly in small lots. Some large consumers and speculators have purchased for future delivery, but as a general thing the stocks in the hands of manufacturers are light. Scotch iron is in fair request, and 200 tons of Gartsherrie sold at $43 cash. Mr. Ross, just now from the interior of the State, reports the demand for Anthracite Iron as very good, and the stocks of Pig Iron, Coal and Charcoal very light. Manufactured iron is dull and tending down. Smith's Philadelphia bars, with sales of No. 1, are quoted at 9@9½c; Juniata, 9½@10c; Nos. 2 and 3 Juniata and Glengarnock, $8.50@9 for Garsherrie, and $8 @ 8.50 for Juniata; Nos. 1 and 2 Refined, 8@8½c; Nos. 3 and 4, 7½@8c; Russia sheet, 13@13½c; Swedes, 10@10½c; Nail Rods, 8½@9c; Horse Shoe, 8@8½c; Nail Plate, 6½@7c; Boiler Plate, 8@8½c; Tank Plate, 9@9½c; Refined Iron, 7½@8c; Scrap, $30@32 per ton for Garsherrie, and $28 @ 30 for Juniata; Charcoal Blooms, $60@65 per ton; Charcoal Pig, $45@50; Anthracite Pig, $38@40; Bloom Pig, $30@32; Bloom Scrap, $25@28; Rolled Iron Scrap, $30@32; Forge Scrap, $25@28; Cast Scrap, $30@32; Machine Scrap, $35@40; Car Wheels, $40@45; Spiegel, $40@45; Ferro Manganese, $80@90; Ferro Prussiate, 10@11c; Yellow Prussiate, 14@15c; Bar Steel, 10@11c; Cast Steel, 20@22c; Spring Steel, 12@13c; Tire Steel, 10@11c; Sheet Steel, 12@13c; Machinery Steel, 12@13c; Blister Steel, 9@10c; Drill Steel, 18@20c; Sheet Zinc, 12@13c; Zinc, 10@11c; Spelter, 8@8½c; Lead, 9@9½c; Tin, 38@40c; Copper, 30@32c; Antimony, 12@13c; Quicksilver, $1 00@1 05; Nails, $5 50@6 50; Horse Shoes, $8@8 50; Mule Shoes, $8 50@9; Spikes, 9@10c; Bolts, 40@45 per cent off; Nuts, 40@45 per cent off; Coach Screws, 50@55 per cent off; Wood Screws, 40@45 per cent off; Iron Wire, $6@6 50; Steel Wire, $7@7 50; Horse Nails, 30@35 per cent off; Rivets, 10@11c; Chains, 9@10c; Anchors, 12@13c; Axles, 12@13c; Springs, 12@13c; Shoes and Points, $3 50@4